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Mr. Ronald D. Hauber, Director
Division of Nonproliferation, Exports
and Multilateral Relations
Office of International Programs
United States Nuclear Regulatory Commission
Washington, D.C. 20555-0001

Subject: Taiwan's Lungmen Project, NRC License XR135,
Amendment No. 04

Dear Mr. Hauber:

General Electric Company (GE) has recently been selected by Taiwan Power Company (TPC) as the supplier of the two power reactors for Taiwan's fourth nuclear power station, to be built at the Lungmen site. GE will supply the nuclear island design, equipment, nuclear fuel, and related services and technology for two 1,350-megawatt Advanced Boiling Water Reactors (ABWRs). As further described in Attachment A to this letter, the nuclear island scope will include the reactor and control buildings design and the equipment contents thereof, tools and equipment for installation, testing, refueling, operation and maintenance, spare parts, related services training, and related technology, including development, production, and use technology, for application in the operation, servicing and maintenance of TPC's electrical power plants in Taiwan, including Lungmen.

GE presently holds two export licenses issued by the Nuclear Regulatory Commission (NRC) applicable to these exports. NRC License No. XR 135, Amendment No. 04 is applicable to the nuclear island scope, and a separate license covers the fuel.



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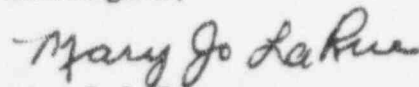
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 We understand that the NRC, pursuant to agreement with other agencies of the U.S. government (i.e., the Departments of Energy and Commerce), has the authority as part of a reactor export license to approve the export of individual items, such as technology, simulators, and repair and testing equipment, which, if exported other than as a portion of a nuclear island "package", might lie within the primary export control jurisdiction of such other agency. (We also understand that such interagency agreement is founded upon the fact that the Executive Branch must give its favorable judgment before the NRC may issue a reactor export license.) To assure ourselves that GE is not required in this instance to apply for an export license or authorization from any agency other than the NRC, we would appreciate it if you would confirm that NRC License XR-135, Amendment 04 authorizes the export to Taiwan of the complete nuclear island scope described above and in Attachment A. If any item in that scope lies outside of the NRC's export licensing jurisdiction (or is for any reason not otherwise covered by License XR-135, Amendment 04), please identify such item(s) so that GE may obtain the requisite authorization .

If you have any questions or need more information, please call me at (408) 925-3120. Thank you for your assistance.

Best Regards,



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Attachment

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